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SUBJECT: DIPLOMATIC TITLE FOR U.S. REP TO THE DAC

1. I UNDERSTAND THAT DEPARTMENT STILL HAS UNDER REVIEW AID REQUEST FOR DIPLOMATIC TITLE AS MINISTER-COUNSELOR FOR U.S. REP TO DAC, A REQUEST WHICH OF COURSE I HAVE STRONGLY ENDORSED AND SUPPORTED.

2. IN YOUR REVIEW YOU SHOULD BE PARTICULARLY SENSITIVE TO IMPORTANCE WHICH ATTACHES TO OUR WORK IN DAC WHERE U.S. HAS TRADITIONALLY BEEN LEADER AND OTHER MEMBERS HAVE LOOKED TO US IN THIS ROLE. OUR REPRESENTATION HAS FROM THE BEGINNING BEEN AT THE MINISTERIAL LEVEL AS BEFITTED THE IMPORTANCE WE ATTACHED TO THIS WORK. MAINTAINING THIS TITLE WILL CERTAINLY HELP TO CUSHION THE EFFECTS UPON THE COMMITTEE OF THE RELATIVE WORSENING OF THE U.S. AID PERFORMANCE.

3. AT PRESENT, AS YOU KNOW, OECD/DAC IS INVOLVED IN MAJOR EFFORT TO ADD A NEW DIMENSION TO OUR DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE STRATEGIES AND TO EXPAND THE VOLUME OF ASSISTANCE FOR SUCH PURPOSES. THE SECRETARY SPEARHEADED
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THIS DRIVE AT THE LAST OECD MINISTERIAL SESSION. THE NEW U.S. REPRESENTATIVE TO THE DAC WAS CHOSEN BY AID TO LEAD THIS EFFORT. HIS FORMAL STATUS IN THE DIPLOMATIC COMMUNITY HERE IS AN ESSENTIAL TOOL FOR HIS WORK.
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